

Guatemala FETP

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Dr. Moises Mayen Barillas, Chief, Field Epidemiology Training Program, Guatemala Ministry of Health and Social Assistance: The program is important in public health. We started in 2000 thanks to the support of CDC.

Anaite Diaz Artiga, Director, Public Health & Epidemiology Program, Universidad del Valle de Guatemala: What CDC wants is to strengthen the capacity of the Minister of Health and all the ministries that are working in public health to respond promptly and efficiently to basically control those outbreaks.

Mayen Barillas: Epidemiology should be used across all components of public health: Protection, promotion, prevention and provision of services. The population's health, to improve the population's health, all of this has to be done to change the health status of the population from the one existing today to a better one. That is the final purpose, right?

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